



# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Vincent PETIARD et al.

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For: METHOD OF DETERMINING THE  
GENETIC MATERIAL OF COCOA IN  
FERMENTED OR ROASTED BEANS AND  
CHOCOLATE

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## SUBMISSION OF SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Submitted herewith is a Supplemental Declaration for the above-identified application. This Supplemental Declaration has been updated to correct the filing date of the priority European application which was originally listed as 5 November 2000, but is actually 5 November 1998.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission. Should any fees be required, however, please charge such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

Respectfully submitted,

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